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Sir:

Please consider the following Response for the above-referenced Application.

A.) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Response is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated September 28, 2005.

The Amendments to the Specification section begins on page 2 of this Response.

The Amendments to the Claims section begins on page 3 of this Response and any amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims included therein.

The Amendments to the Drawings section begins on page 8 of this Response and any amendments to the drawings include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing any changes.

The Remarks/Arguments section begins on page 9 of this Response.